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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated December 26, 2001, for which a response was due on or before March 26, 2002, and for which a petition for a three month extension of time is attached hereto extending the due date for the response through June 26, 2002, please enter and consider the following Amendment and Remarks: